

NEBRASKA TO BE HOST SATURDAY

High School Pupils from Over the State Will Be Here as Guests of the University.

TO BE HIGH SCHOOL DAY

State Debate Tournament, State High School Track Meet and Editors' Meeting to Be Here.

When the University of Nebraska is host to the high school pupils who are coming to Lincoln for High School Day, Saturday, May 12, the program will include the twenty-first annual Nebraska Intercollegiate Track and Field Meet, the sixteenth state debate tournament of the Nebraska High School Debating League, the Convention of Nebraska High School Editors, and the Intercollegiate Academic Contests.

High School Debating League

In the sixteenth annual state debate of the Nebraska High School Debating League (with 90 members) at the University of Nebraska, May 12-13 will compete for the state championship picked students of argumentation and oral discussion who have won the championships of the eleven districts into which the League is divided. Through the tournament of ten debates beginning with five Thursday evening and ending with the final state-championship contest in Memorial Hall Saturday morning, the contestants will go for the honor which in 1922 was awarded to North Platte.

To the tournament the contestants will come with an all-round knowledge of the League questions for the year. "Resolved, That Nebraska should adopt the Kansas industrial-court system"—prepared on short notice to put up the case for either side, as the lot-drawing may assign the terms.

The purpose of this state-wide organization, organized in 1908 by Prof. M. M. Fogg with a membership of 30 schools, is to promote straight thinking and effective oral statements of ideas in preparation for future vocation and for the intelligent discharge of the duties of good citizenship.

High scholarship in general prevails among the members of these eleven delegations. In many cases these debaters are the best students in their classes. The list includes six valedictorians and three salutatorians.

Three newcomers at the state debate are included in the list this year: Brady (Western District I) and Perkins County High School, Grant (Western District II), which are new members of the League; and Battle Creek (North-Central District).

The Nebraska chapter of Delta Sigma Rho—intercollegiate debaters' national honorary society—will assist in managing the tournament—well. (Continued on Page Four.)

W. A. A. Girls Active in All Spring Sports

With the opening of the baseball season, the W. A. A. girls have limited the championship to the freshmen and sophomores, who won the first round of the interclass tournament.

Sharing interest with the baseball players are the swimmers who have scheduled their annual swimming meet for tonight at 8:45 in the Lincoln High School pool. This affair was postponed from last Tuesday on account of the weather. The judges at this meet will be Dorothy Teal, Lois Pederson, and Miss Marian Baldwin.

The annual alumni banquet for the awarding of the "N" sweaters to the girls who have won the required 1500 points in athletics, will be held Friday, June 4. The committee in charge of the arrangements for the banquet includes Marie Snively, Dorothy Dougan, Rosalie Platner, and Dorothy Goodale.

ADVISORY BOARD NAMES LIST OF NEW MEMBERS

Thirteen Girls to Act Next Year—Josephine Shramek Is President.

The Senior Advisory Board for the year 1923 was announced by the present Board this week. The Board consists of thirteen girls elected from the senior class at large by the members of the outgoing Board, and the president of the W. S. G. A., who with the sponsor of the Freshman Commission, are automatically elected members.

The president and secretary of the new Board are elected by the old Board, and are respectively Josephine Shramek and Marian Madigan. The other new members are:

- Ruth Miller
- Beulah Butler
- Edith Olds
- Grace Dobish
- Helen Eiting
- Margaret Wattles
- Helen Kummer
- Clady Rice
- Julia Sheldon
- Silence Adamson

Luncheon to Supplant Vesper Service Today

The Y. W. C. A. Conference staff will have charge of the cafeteria lunch to be served at the hike which will take the place of the regular Vesper Services, and which will be held at Antelope Park today. The girls will meet at five o'clock at Ellen Smith Hall, to hike to the Park.

Girls who wish to go on the hike may do so by signing the list on the bulletin board in the vestibule of Ellen Smith Hall, as early in the day as possible.

WORK UNDER WAY FOR NEW STADIUM

Excavations Being Rapidly Completed—Concrete Stands to Be Poured in Three Months.

PLEDGES PAYABLE NOW

Cornerstone Will Be Laid June 1 While Alumni Are Attending Round-up Week.

With work on the Memorial Stadium well under way, with the contract let, and the assurance made that the 1923 football schedule will be played in the new athletic field, Stadium supporters have let out a sigh of relief. The anxiety which was felt throughout the campaign for funds has disappeared, and students and alumni are now watching with interest the progress of the actual construction work on the old Nebraska field.

Excavation for the new stadium is rapidly being completed. Daily, tons of dirt are hauled away from the old field and before long the entire ground will be dug out, and the contractor will start laying the concrete foundations. Within a short three months the concrete stands will all be poured and within a month after that the wooden seats will be in and the first game will be played.

The contract calls for the completion within 120 days of the west and eaststands, the combined bleachers being capable of seating nearly 40,000 people. Temporarily, the colonades on the north and the south will be left off, but as soon as enough money is available they will be added. That may be before the football season starts, and it may not be for another year.

Money toward the construction of the stadium has been secured through bonds, upon which the stadium committee is paying the usual high rate of interest. Every cent the committee can collect ahead of time will mean a saving of that much in money borrowed and interest paid.

Payments of the last four installments on the stadium pledges are not due until next fall, but subscribers toward the stadium may pay their later installments now if they wish. The payment of the late installments of the pledges now will save the committee much expense and will assure the stadium of more athletic equipment because of those savings. Some forty-two hundred student subscriptions mean quite a sum, and every dollar that is collected early on those subscriptions mean a saving not only in interest on bonds, but also a saving in bookkeeping and collecting expenses. Keeping the stadium records clear is a huge task, and students who wish to do so can help the stadium committee considerably by making their advance payments now and thus allowing the committee to make their payments at least a closed account. The amount saved on one pledge is comparatively slight, but on the more than 4,000 pledges it is an enormous sum.

Laying of the cornerstone for the Memorial Stadium will be a part of the program for Roundup week this spring. The stadium ceremonies will be held on Friday, June 1, the second day of the Roundup, when nearly two thousand alumni who return for the class reunions and celebrations will be present. Students will do well to plan now to stay over for the ceremonies on that day.

Dedication of the stadium is to be a part of the program for football homecoming day next fall, the day when Kansas meets Nebraska in the annual football contest. A dedication ceremony and program will be arranged for that day equal to any event ever held on the campus.

The stadium is progressing rapidly, and each load of dirt, each mixer of concrete, that is poured into the structure will be watched closely by Nebraska students, realizing as they do that each step brings their dream of a huge Memorial Stadium closer to actuality than it ever was before.

Otis Skinner Plays in New Success

Theater-goers are looking forward with pleasurable anticipation to the appearance of Otis Skinner at the Orpheum, matinee and night, May 9, in his delightful comedy success, "Mister Antonio" which was written especially for him by Booth Tarkington.

Dean Buck Delayed by Ice on Way Home

A telegram received from Dean Philo M. Buck, who was expected to arrive from India in April, explains that he has been delayed by ice. Dean Buck expected to arrive in Montreal on Monday.

Dean Buck has spent the past year in India on an exchange professorship with Prof. F. S. Joshi, who offered six weeks courses here in February. Dr. Joshi left Nebraska several weeks ago.

KOSMET KLUB SHOW STAGED LAST NIGHT

"The Yellow Lantern" Is to Be Played Tonight in Brandeis Theater.

Members of the Kosmet Klub accompanied the cast of the 1923 production of that organization when the show was taken to Omaha to played last evening at the Brandeis Theatre. "The Yellow Lantern," the play for this year, is one with a Chinese setting, the scenes for which are laid in the Oriental country.

The play, which was given in Lincoln at the Orpheum Theatre Friday night, was well received and the members of the Klub were assured that it would be as popular in Omaha, where tickets in blocks were reserved last week by University of Nebraska alumni.

The members of the cast and the Klub returned to Lincoln after the production last evening.

THREE MEN INITIATED INTO DELTA SIGMA RHO

Honorary Society for Intercollegiate Debaters Elects New Members.

The University of Nebraska chapter of Delta Sigma Rho, the national honorary society (with 62 chapters and over 3500 members) for intercollegiate debaters, held its initiation ceremonies Sunday afternoon at the home of Prof. M. M. Fogg. The initiates—new members of the teams this year that debated with Iowa and South Dakota—were Ronald Button, 25, Lincoln; Hugh Cox, '26, Lincoln; and Alexander McKie, '24, Omaha.

The ceremonies were conducted by Sheldon Tefft, '22, Law '24, Weeping Water, president of the chapter; C. A. Sorensen, '13, Law '16, Lincoln; Clifford L. Rein, '13, Law '16, Lincoln; Welch Pogue, '24, Law '25; Grant, Iowa, secretary-treasurer; Wendell Berge, '25, Lincoln; and Professor Fogg.

Mr. Pogue was elected president of the chapter for next year and Mr. Berge was elected secretary-treasurer.

SIX TEAMS ELIMINATED IN BASEBALL TOURNEY

First Round Incomplete—Rest of Games Will Be Played at Rock Island Park.

Six fraternity baseball teams were eliminated from the annual interfraternity baseball tournament in the opening round of play Monday afternoon.

Results in the games which went the full seven innings were: Sigma Alpha Epsilon 12; Lambda Chi Alpha 11.

Farm House 16; Alpha Theta Chi 9.

Delta Tau Delta 13; Sigma Chi 6. Xi Psi Phi 12; Pi Kappa Phi 6.

Delta Upsilon 9; Alpha Gamma Rho 3.

Phi Kappa Psi 3; Sigma Phi Epsilon 5.

Omega Beta Phi 8; Phi Alpha Delta 9.

Several of the games scheduled for Monday had to be called off before they could be completed on account of the darkness. Phi Gamma Delta had scored 9 runs to 1 count by Beta Theta Phi in the one inning their game was played. In six innings Delta Sigma Delta and Kappa Sigma were tied 8 to 8. The Silver Lynx had scored 5 and Phi Tau Epsilon 2 in two and a half innings. The last game will be completed at Rock Island ball park at noon Tuesday.

As soon as the first round has been completed the second series of contests will be begun.

NEW MEMBERS OF STUDENT COUNCIL WILL BE ELECTED BY BALLOT

List of Candidates and Their Activities in School Eleven to Be Chosen from Various Colleges—University—Juniors Will Have Four Members.

POLLS OPEN FROM 10 TO 12 AND FROM 4 TO 6

Arts and Science College and College of Agriculture One Man and One Woman on Council Seniors Were Elected by Present Members.

Elections for the 1923-24 Student Council. The voting places are the Library Corridor on the Dean's office on the Ag. Campus. The polls from 10 to 12 in the morning and from 2 to 4 in the afternoon. The Council for next year will be made members elected to hold over from the present members elected at the end of their sophomore colleges in which they registered. The nominations at meetings held May 1. The candidates are:

PLAYERS WILL STAGE ORIGINAL PRODUCTION

"An Adventure for Two" to Be Presented by University Players.

"An Adventure for Two," is the title of the anonymous play to be given Friday and Saturday, May 11 and 12, by the University Players. The piece was written by one of the members of the producing organization. The play will be staged at the Temple Theatre. Tickets are now on sale at the Ross P. Curtice Company. A Saturday matinee will be given for the benefit of University students.

The leading characters in the play are taken by Neil Brown and Irma McGowan. Other parts in the production are taken by Herbert Yenne, Marian Richardson, Viola Loosbrock, Harold Pelton, and Helen Wiggins. A special set of scenery is being constructed for the production, and the members of the cast are expending every effort to make this one of the best productions of the year.

A comedy in three acts, the majority of the characters for which are seniors and graduates, the production promises one of the most entertaining plays presented this year by the company, according to the management of the University players.

Newens Will Speak at Convocation Thursday

"The Culture Value of an Education" will be the subject of a lecture given by Adrian M. Newens, director of the University School of Music, at 11 o'clock Thursday morning at the Temple Theatre. Teachers college classes will be excused during this hour, and students of other colleges are invited to come.

This is the fourth of a series of lectures given under the auspices of the Teachers college.

Girls Will Wear Green

Green buttons bearing the numerals of their class will be worn by all girls of the freshman class, according to plans being made by the members of the fire class honorary societies for women: Mystic Fish, Xi Delta, Silver Serpent, Mortar Board, and Valkyrite.

It has often been mentioned that the men of the first-year class have to bear the brunt of the "hazing" on the campus. The plan of the buttons for girls is not so much to let the girls take their share of the unpleasantness, as to help the members of the incoming class to become acquainted with one another.

The buttons will be green celluloid disks about one and a half inches in diameter, with the class figures in white upon them. This year they will be furnished by Rudge and Guenzel, and will be distributed the second week of school in the fall, from a booth in the store of the donors, which will be in charge of the girls in the upper classes. A record will be kept of the names of all the freshman girls who secure their pins, so that lists of freshman girls may be checked and all girls on the campus will be wearing the pins.

At the beginning of this year, when plan was first suggested, it was thought that scarfs of the Irish hue would be proper thing for the girls to adopt a class to wear due to the colored scarfs this spring to use but instead. At the buttons and Guenze way as to Because are used decided by the ing organic co-eds shall badges at ing dates, pins might gowns. On Olyn allowed to gear on the fuel to the If the so, contest, he discard the are freed ing the em It is hon class has the green established as the g men. To effort to means of purpose.

A Bit of My Romantic Experience

Khanta Bala Rai, of Calcutta, India, a student in the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Nebraska, has written the following article telling of her trip to this country. Miss Rai plans to return to India in the latter part of June.

BY KHANTA BALA RAI

In the horizon of my childhood imagination, one of the things in which my soul found great delight was the thought of crossing the ocean—not so much of crossing only, but being on the middle of the ocean, where as far as my eyes reached, I would see nothing but waters; and to watch the union of the blue sky above and the blue water below! What a charming power has imagination! What a soothing quality it possesses! Imagination is like a golden shadow of reality.

However, the star of my fortune favored me with her blessing and lo behold, my imagination turned into actuality! Yes, to my heart's content I drank in the beauty of the marvellousness of the Ocean. And to my great surprise, I found one after another, all my ideas and fancies began to turn into actuality.

But I was not going to make my tale long. It was my romantic experience that I was going to tell.

"My experiences are numerous and fascinating, but I shall only tell you the important ones. My first association with America was when I was in the primary school, reading the story of George Washington and his cherry tree—little knowing that I should ever visit his home and see for myself the very spot. I was quite thrilled to visit the place and see the relics thereof. Then later on, when I was in high school, studying world's geography, I learned the names of several places by heart: New York, Boston, Philadelphia—and so on. But the name that fascinated me, was the Niagara Falls. And when I actually saw the Falls, I was spell bound—I realized that our fancies contain a different sort of truth than reality itself. My third and most thrilling association was when I studied the European history in college in Calcutta and read about the war of the American Independence. How well I remember that lecture—how I stood up for the then American people; admired their brave spirit of standing up for their own rights at the Battle of Bunker Hill. And when I saw 'Bunker Hill' itself in Boston, I could hardly believe myself awake!

"Another opportunity which I count most glorious was my visit with President and Mrs. Harding at the White House. I can yet feel the thrill that went through me at the time.

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